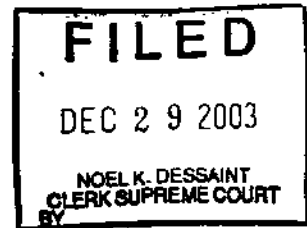


SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA



IN THE MATTER OF A MEMBER
OF THE STATE BAR OF ARIZONA

) Supreme Court
) No. SB-03-0148-D
)
) Disciplinary Commission
) Nos. 01-2377, 02-0605, 02-0689

LAURENCE B. STEVENS,
Bar No. 006460

RESPONDENT.

) **JUDGMENT AND ORDER**

This matter having come on for hearing before the Disciplinary Commission of the Supreme Court of Arizona, it having duly rendered its decision and no discretionary review occurring,

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that **LAURENCE B. STEVENS**, a member of the State Bar of Arizona, is hereby censured for conduct in violation of his duties and obligations as a lawyer, as disclosed in the Disciplinary Commission Report.

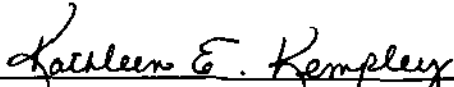
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that **LAURENCE B. STEVENS** shall be placed on probation. The terms of probation are as follows:

- 1) Respondent shall, within thirty (30) days of this Order, meet with the Director of the Law Office Management Assistance Program (LOMAP) in order to extend his current LOMAP contract for an additional six (6) months. The six month extension shall begin the date of this Order. Respondent shall remain on probation until the completion of the new contract.
- 2) In the event Respondent fails to comply with any of the foregoing terms and information thereof is received by the State Bar, bar counsel shall file a Notice of Non-Compliance with the Disciplinary Commission. The Disciplinary Commission may refer the matter to a hearing officer to conduct a hearing at the earliest possible date, but in no event later than thirty (30) days following receipt of said notice. If the matter is referred to a hearing officer, the hearing officer shall determine whether the terms of probation have been breached, and if so, to recommend appropriate action and response to such breach.
- 3) If there is an allegation that Respondent failed to comply with any of the foregoing terms, the burden of proof shall be on the State Bar to prove non-compliance by clear and convincing evidence.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to Rule 60(b), formerly Rule 52(a)8, the State Bar of Arizona is granted judgment against **LAURENCE B. STEVENS** for costs and expenses of these

proceedings in the amount of \$703.80, together with interest at the legal rate from the date of this judgment.

DATED this 29th day of December, 2003.


Kathleen E. Kempley, Chief Deputy Clerk

TO:

Laurence B. Stevens, Respondent (Certified Mail, Return Receipt)

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The foregoing instrument is a full, true and correct copy of the original on file in this office.

ATTEST

Noel K. Dessaint, Clerk of the Supreme Court
State of Arizona

By  Deputy